



ecological society

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Ecological Society is doing a pioneering work in the fields of ecological planning, eco-restoration and eco-education for the past 25 years. The Society was founded in 1982 to promote research and education in Ecological Management. Through research the Society studies the impact of development activities on ecology; through education the Society tries to make people aware of the implications of the adverse effects on ecology and through field projects the Society proposes to set up model units where development planning and ecological conservation complement each other to better the lot of the people. While research projects undertaken by the society cover both rural and urban areas, the model units proposed to be set up are based in rural and semi urban areas. The goal of Ecological Society is to emphasize on the need to salvage and conserve the remaining few patches in India's rapidly degenerating environment. Since its inception in 1982, our endeavor has been to document, study, educate, restore, and plan activities and projects that offer solutions to our current environment predicaments.

GREEN MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

Three conditions that should weigh with business and industry are what they take, what they make and what they waste! In the last more than 100 years, we have been exploring, mining, extracting and processing stored wealth and resources worth many many trillions. We have in a way, stolen the wealth of the future. To make matters worse, we are adding 9 cr. of people every year to world's population and destroying 25 billion tons of soil every year. No wonder overall food production is declining every year. And along with food we ingest so many toxins in our body that the immune system of every unborn child may soon be adversely affected irrevocably. Clearly business and industry need a new language, a new role, a new way of realizing itself within the larger environment. They must realize that all nature depends on solar income which comes from diffuse solar energy and energy stored over millions of years. It is the result of mind-boggling diversity and capacity to turn all waste into food.

Ecological science has proved that all wealth is illusory if it is not based on the principles and cyclical processes in nature. We cannot just turn our backs on the web of life that sustains us and live in an illusory world engineered by technology. Our management systems so far have constructed an economy which, by demanding ever-increasing resources, mimics a young and growing eco system. But it is a "linear" industrial ecology where waste accumulates and is not decomposed and assimilated.

Let us therefore, enter the fascinating world of Green Management, re-establish our connections with nature.

Salient features of the workshop

- Top management experts will facilitate your understanding and interact with you in the 3-day residential workshop in a sylvan environment.
- There will be sessions on ecology of commerce and technology, the essence of green management, eco-restoration, Corporate Environmental and Social Responsibility etc.
- Field trips to restored eco-systems will be a special feature of the workshop.

Programme Details

Dates: 7 to 9 February 2008

Venue: BAIF Campus, Warje
off Mumbai-Bangalore Highway

Fees: Rs. 15000 per person (Residential)

Rs. 12000 per person (Non residential)

Following details may be sent to us for enrolment: Name, Designation, Age, Qualification, Experience (years) and the present functions. Fees can be sent by Demand Draft drawn in favour of "Ecological Society"